

House Resolution No. 791

Whereas, it is always a pleasure for the members of the Missouri House of Representatives to recognize an outstanding Show-Me State couple who have ceaselessly embraced the promises made to one another so many years ago; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Miller, treasured residents of Marshfield, Missouri, commemorated the jubilant occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration hosted by their loved ones on February 23, 2003, at the First Baptist Church; and

Whereas, James and Mary Miller attained this impressive milestone by the sincere commitment they have demonstrated to each other since their marriage on February 26, 1953; and

Whereas, on that unforgettable day, James E. Miller and Mary M. Phillips promised to devote themselves to each other throughout all the days of their lives during a beautiful wedding ceremony; and

Whereas, over the course of the past half century, James and Mary Miller have nurtured the continual growth of their mutual love, trust, and understanding, qualities that have enhanced and enriched their unique partnership with each passing year; and

Whereas, James and Mary Miller truly serve as an example of the way marriage was intended to be as demonstrated by their enjoyment of daily companionship, their constant display of support for one another, and their shared commitment in respecting the feelings and opinions of each other; and

Whereas, James and Mary Miller are an exceptional couple whose five decades of shared happiness, affection, and devotion so beautifully illustrate the abundant triumphs of a successful marriage:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to James and Mary Miller upon the joyous occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary and in wishing them continued prosperity as they begin their fifty-first year of wedded bliss; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. James E. Miller.

Offered by _____
Representative Michael L. Cunningham
District No. 145

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 791, adopted March 11, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker